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ANGEL CHILDREN.

Is there any happier woman in this world than that mother whose each successive little one seems to her but one more darling angel to continually lift her thoughts toward the sunshine of perfect happiness? But sorry is the lot of that poor mother to whom motherhood has ceased to be a cause of rejoicing, but has become instead a burden to be dreaded and looked forward to with melancholy and apprehension.

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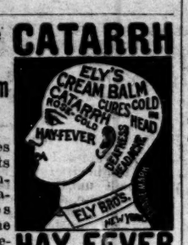

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A Father's Awful Deed.

Alarmed by the deserted appearance of the farmhouse of Clarence A. Barnum, who recently located near Rochester, Mich., neighbors broke into the house yesterday and found Barnum, his wife, his daughter Louise, aged twenty-three, and his son Clinton, aged sixteen, all lying dead.

The wife and the son and daughter had apparently been murdered with an axe. A single-barreled shotgun lying near his corpse and the fact that his head was almost entirely blown off showed how farmer Barnum himself had met his end.

Mrs. Barnum's body lay in the woodshed. It appeared that she had been able to resist the murderer for a brief time, or, at any rate, had succeeded in eluding him long enough to reach the shed. But she was struck down and met the same fate that befell her son and daughter.

The appearance of the house indicated that the family had just finished breakfast yesterday when the insane and murdercus frenzy of the father broke out. Evidently there had been a terrific struggle as the mother and children battled for their lives. The dining-room was all bespattered with blood, even the ceiling.

Under the dining-room table lay the father's body, a gun across his knee. Apparently he had taken the muzzle into his mouth before pulling the trigger. Three extra cartridges stood on the sideboard as if in readiness to overtake any member of the family who might succeed in escaping the murderous axe. There was blood on the handle of the axe, but the blade had been washed.

In the dining-room, where the body of the father was found, lay also that of the daughter. The son's corpse was in the kitchen. It is thought that the boy was the first attacked, that the mother was killed in the wood shed next, and that the father turned last to the daughter imprisoned in the dining-room, where the disturbance had apparently begun. The wife and son and daughter all had their heads terribly cut and crushed.

Barnum sold a farm near Homer, Mich., only a few months ago, and located at Rochester late in the season. It is said that the harvest of his new farm did not meet his expectations, and that he had become despondent.

Brazil's Prohibitive Tariff.

An order issued on the first day of the year at Petropolis, the summer capital of Brazil, puts into effect the new tariff adopted several months ago by the Brazilian congress. The tariff is highly protective in its character. It will, therefore, be a severe blow at several American interests.

The duty on flour and wheat, two commodities which the Brazilians import from the United States in great quantities, is increased to a prohibitive point. The same is true also with respect to harvesting machinery and farm implements.

The State Department has been making an effort to prevent the imposition of the duties, but its arguments were of no avail. The Brazilian government was determined to shut out as much of the food-stuffs and harvesting machinery as it could by means of high duties, so as to encourage the production of those commodities and articles in Brazil.

The tariff is general in its terms, but the articles on the list of things on which the duties have been increased are imported chiefly from this country. The tariff was not adopted with any desire or determination to strike a blow at American interests, but it happens that American industries will be the chief sufferers by reason of the adoption of the new law.

The Diamond Cure.

The latest news from Paris, is, that they have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. If you fear consumption or pneumonia, it will, however, be best for you to take that great remedy mentioned by W. T. McGee, of Vanleer, Tenn. "I had a cough for fourteen years. Nothing helped me until I took Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which gave instant relief and effected a permanent cure." Unequalled quick cure for Throat and Lung Troubles. At E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store; price 50c and $1.00, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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Married Wrong Woman.

Hyde J. Summers, formerly of Pittsburg, Pa., now of Olcott, N. Y., has commenced proceedings to annul his marriage to his wife Irene. He alleges he led the wrong girl to the altar. Summers says he offered himself in marriage to Ruth Bekman, and was accepted. Ruth, the complaint says, had a twin sister, and the two were identical in appearance. Summers cites an instance when Irene accompanied him to a theater in Buffalo as a joke, he believing she was Ruth. Several days after the wedding, Summers avers, he requested his wife to play the piano and sing for him. She played indifferently, he alleges, and could not sing. This aroused his suspicions, as he knew that Ruth possessed a clear soprano voice. On this statement he seeks to prove his wife is Irene, and not Ruth. The defendant denies any error has been made, and she can sing with ability. The whole case will pivot on this point.

Italian Murdered.

Guiseppi Riccobono was murdered in the cellar beneath his own store in east 130th street New York, yesterday. His body was found lying, face upward, with the blade of a razor, broken in two pieces, crossed on his breast. His left hand had been half cut off at the wrist and his throat was cut. The cellar was used by Riccobono as a sleeping room. The police say that a band of Italians killed Riccobono in revenge because he refused to tell them what he knew about the murder recently of an Italian known as Pasgocal Rocco. The slayers of this man are supposed to be in Philadelphia, where the police are looking for them. Riccobono told the New York police what he knew of the case, adding also that he was in fear for his life. The police arrested on suspicion five Italians, whom they found in the cellar an hour after the murder viewing the body.

Soothing and Comforting.

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This sale offers an elegant opportunity to buy Ladies' and Children's Furs and Coats also Holiday Goods at very small prices, as we desire to close out all the above goods before taking our annual inventory.

SWAN BROS.

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New Year resolutions

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FINANCIAL

Jan. 1st

A thought for New Year's week! Devote an hour of careful thought to your New Year's resolutions. Do not be among those who think resolutions are valueless because some are broken. Cultivate the habit of carefulness and thoughtfulness and deposit your savings with the Virginia Safe Deposit & Trust Corporation. Money so deposited will be absolutely safe and your banking business will receive every attention. Start the New Year right by opening an account in our Savings Department and we will help you by paying an interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum on same. Remember the resolution to save means not only the accumulation of money, BUT THE FORMATION AND STRENGTHENING OF CHARACTER. Nine times out of ten the man who begins to save stops some kind of foolishness. Economy means giving up something and the wise man usually manages to give up that which is bad for him. The saving of money means independence in the future and better use of time in the present. Think this over today. Think of your own case. Look at the men about you who had the strength of character to save. The way is simple, BEGIN AT ONCE and you will appreciate this advice on January 1, 1907. We invite you to call and talk this matter over with us.

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LEAVE WASHINGTON, D. C.—6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30; 10:30, 11:30 a. m., 12:30, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30 p. m.

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January Reduction Sale.

Wise buyers, be early. The good old-fashioned January Reduction Sale, thousands of you know so well, begins, and the selling will be in full swing. For a week we have been putting things to right, turning stock topsy-turvey, searching for short length and odd lots for quick selling. Bargains from every section of the store. Nothing shall be left behind if price will sell it.

8c and 10c Outing Flannel, 5c a yard.

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SIC SEMPER TYRANNIS
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WEDNESDAY EVENING. JAN. 3, 1906.

THE DEMOCRATS of Kentucky, for reasons best known to themselves, have concluded to relieve Hon. J. S. C. Blackburn of his Senatorial duties and have selected Judge Paynter as his successor. This is an affair of their own, in which they alone are chiefly concerned; hence their action should be unquestioned, though many believe they have made a mistake. There is no reason to suppose that Judge Paynter will not ably and faithfully represent the good people of Kentucky. It is a case where a democrat will succeed a democrat, and the interests of the State will be safe. At the same time many inside of the Capitol of the United States, as well as numbers without, will miss Senator Blackburn. He has been a prominent member of the Sentate for over twenty years, during which time his brilliancy and ability have given him a well-deserved national reputation. Politics form an unstable basis under mundane conditions, and often men who have honestly earned their spurs are relegated to the rear to make place for new stars which are continually appearing in the arena. It has ever been so and will continue to be unto the end. New generations come upon the scene, old issues fade and the time comes when able and faithful representatives fail to appeal to the age and the transitions which time bring about. Senator Blackburn will not leave the Capitol under any cloud, as is unfortunately too often the case, but with a history and reputation which will form a bright page in the annals of the country.

PETITIONS signed by more than 1,000,000 American women, praying that Reed Smoot, of Utah, be expelled from the Senate, will be presented to that body immediately after the committee of privileges and elections presents its report on the Smoot case. Thousands of similar petitions from churches, religious organizations and citizens have already been received. The petitions obtained through women's organizations have been bound and are now embraced in 28 large volumes. Senator Smoot does not seem to fear the women, and will even strike back, for in a speech delivered last week at the annual banquet of the Salt Lake Commercial Club, he defied the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, which has been prominent in the movement to deprive him of his seat in the Senate, and said:

"I have heard somewhere, I believe in the public press, of an organization called the Woman's Christian Temperance Union that seems to know more about my life than I do myself. They have been looking for something to find personally against me, and I am going to give them something tonight. I hope to live and be in the Senate to cast my vote for the bringing back of the canteen."

BEATEN before the caucus, his plan for a secret ballot voted down, and with every one of his political tricks shattered by the opposition, ex-Gov. Odell has played a desperate game in New York and lost. Mr. Wadsworth, who bears the indorsement of President Roosevelt, Governor Higgins and all those republicans who would rescue the State from Odellism, was last night nominated in the republican caucus for Speaker of the Assembly on the first ballot. Thus the official stamp of approval was put upon the burial of Odell and Odellism, the actual fact having been accomplished some time ago; or when the word went up from Washington to that effect.

CALL MONEY was way up again in New York yesterday. It opened at 30 per cent and got as high as 60, from which it reacted to 25 and closed at 50. Secretary Shaw announced in Washington that the February interest payments by the government would be anticipated, but that had little effect there, as they will amount to only about $1,700,000. The total for the entire country will be only $4,000,000. No real relief is expected until after the January interest and dividend disbursements are settled.

VAST charitable schemes were revealed yesterday when the will of the late Charles T. Yerkes was read, the greatest being a hospital to be located in New York and to be free to all persons who cannot afford to pay for treatment. This is really a true charity and Mr. Yerkes, when he drew his will, evidently acted on the theory that charity covers a multitude of sins.

FOR THE first time in months there was a surplus when the U. S. Treasurer's books closed the last day of December. The receipts for the month reached $50,350,463, while the expenditures were but $44,931,745, leaving a balance of $5,418,718. It wont take the grafters long to get away with this balance.

IN THE court martial proceedings at Annapolis yesterday there was considerable conflicting evidence which in a civil court of justice in any State in the union would have been called "tall lying." But under their "code" a naval cadet does not lie. No; perish the thought!

REPORTS of snow in New Mexico and North Carolina only emphasize the charms of the delightful climate which New York seems somehow to have inherited or acquired during the past month.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, Jan. 3.

Two opposing delegations have arrived here from Indian Territory, headed by L. J. Harris and it is today laboring with the Department of Justice to have the Attorney General recommend the withdrawal from the Senate of the name of Luman F. Parker, as judge for the northern distrfct of Indian Territory. The charge that he was lax in the enforcement of liquor laws, while he was assistant district attorney have been filed with the department and with the Senate committee on judiciary. The larger delegation is favorable to Parker. It is made up of leading professional men from Indian Territory and St. Louis and other portions of Missouri. Both delegation expect to be heard Friday by the Senate committee on judiciary, to which the nomination of Parker was referred before the holiday recess.

Charges have been filed against William T. Vernon the colored professor of Quindaro Institute, Kansas, who aspires to the place of Register of the Treasury, and if he does not answer them in a manner satisfactory to the President, he will not get it. If Vernon fails to get the place, L. S. Williams of Chicago, who has been making a fight for the job, is quite likely to land.

The U. S. Supreme Court, for the next week or so, will be engaged in hearing some of the most important cases brought before that body for years. Arguments are now on in the case of Missouri vs. Illinois, involving alleged pollution of the Mississippi river by the Chicago drainage canal. After this case is finished, arguments in the tobacco trust and paper trust cases will be heard. These involve the right of trust officials to refuse to produce books or answer questions. Then come the cases of the U. S. vs. the Bitter Root Development Company and Senator W. A. Clark, brought on account of the alleged illegal fencing in of thousands of acres of public lands. The next on the docket to be heard will be the Chicago traction cases, wherein are questioned the validity of the franchises of practically all the street car lines in the "Windy City."

Congress may lop $10,000,000 off the appropriation bill for the pay of the railroads for carrying the mails as a reply to the no-pass order which went into effect on the first of the month upon most of the railroads in the east. Mr. Grosvenor who was a White House caller this morning, expressed himself in favor of the action indicted. "If the railroads have lost as much money during the last year as the Pennsylvania officials claim they have on account of giving away so many passes," said Mr. Grosvenor, "we can now save $10,000,000 of the $50,000,000 we pay them and devote that extra money to extending the rural free delivery. At the same time the railroads will do just as well as they did when they were giving away $10,000,000 in free rides." Mr. Grosvenor expressed himself as confident that a railroad rate bill would be passed by the present Congress. He was not quite so sanguine over the fate of the ship subsidy measure.

President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor stated today that part of the eighty thousand dollars, raised by an assessment of four cents upon each individual member of the trade unions affiliated with the federation in aid of the printers' strike for an eight hour day, had been sent to Indianapolis, the Typographical Union's headquarters. With this eighty thousand as a nest egg, the strikers will have in addition a weekly income of sixty thousand dollars, raised by an assessment of ten per cent. on the earnings of all printers who are working during the time of the strike. President Gompers, expressing his "confidence that the strike would result in a victory for the eight hour principle" said the federation will not take any further action is aid of the printers unless the conditions shall warrant it.

The Navy Department this morning made public the review of the Judge Advocate General of the navy of the courtmartial case of Commander Lucien Young, U. S. navy, who was tried on the charge of "neglect of duty," as a result of the explosion last July of the boilers of the gunboat Bennington, which he commanded. The sentence of the court, that Commander Young be reprimanded by the Secretary of the Navy, was approved by Secretary Bonaparte "in order that Commander Young might not go wholly unpunished." Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte has disapproved the findings and sentence of the courtmartial which tried Ensign Charles T. Wade, U. S. navy, the engineer officer of the Bennington, and has sent the entire record of the trial back to the court at Mare Island, Cal., for review. It is understood that the court either acquitted Ensign Wade of all blame for the explosion of the Bennington's boilers, of which he had control, or gave him a very light sentence.

President Roosevelt received a visit this morning from a number of promiuent colored ministers of the District of Columbia, who came to urge the passage of some measure in Congress that would secure the negroes of the South better treatment at the hands of the whites. "The negroes of the South are not at all satisfied with their treatment," said Rev. S. L. Corruthers, pastor of the Sixth Street Methodist Church.

Paid Out $100,000.

Charles Mahoney yesterday paid off $100,000 in election bets at the Hoffman House, New York. He had been ill at his home with gout since before Mayor McClellan received his certificate, and when he appeared yesterday in the Hoffman House cafe he was greeted by more than 50 anxious winners.

Mahoney is manager of the Hoffman House cafe. During the mayorality campaign nearly every political argument in the cafe resulted in a wager and he was made the stakeholder.

George Y. Bauchell, a lawyer, was the first man paid by Mahoney. He received $2,500. George W. Ferguson took down $5,000 and the other sums varied from $1,000 to $5,000. Mahoney's commission amounted to $5,000.

Lawyers, doctors, horseowners, bookmakers and sporting men in general were among those who were paid. The work of paying off the debts was delayed by a flood of champagne. Nearly all those who received money treated the whole house.

Count Witte denies that he is urging the proclamation of a constitution and says that no further concessions will be made until order is restored in Russia.

News of the Day.

Six feet of snow have fallen in New Mexico.

Contractors commenced yesterday pulling down the old Hannewinckle building at the corner of Ninth and Main streets Richmond to make way for a splendid structure for the Bank of Richmond.

The Equitable New York and Mutual Life Insurance companies have agreed to abolish rebates on premiums, and have elected Grover Cleveland as referee in disputes on the subject at a salary of $12,000.

Joe Griffin, living near Raleigh, N. C., a colored student at the Shaw University, died of lockjaw yesterday caused by the explosion of a cannon-cracker Christmas Day. This is the second death in Raleigh in two days from this cause.

Humiliated by the bitter public comment on her husband's connection with the New York insurance scandals, Mrs. Chauncey Depew, social gossip has it, will not return from London to take her accustomed place in Washington society this winter.

According to Dr. J. Ramsay Nevitt, coroner for the District of Columbia, there were more deaths in the District from suicides and other tragedies in 1905 than any previous year during his five years' term. About 1,200 cases were investigated by him, fifty of which were suicides, twelve murderers, and 100 accidents. The remainder were due to natural causes.

The organization slate, Carville D. Benson, of Baltimore, for speaker of the house and Gen. J. B. Seth, of Talbot county, for president of the Senate, went at both the Maryland democratic caucuses at Annapolis last night. In the House caucus the nomination was quickly made but the Senate caucus was in session until 1 o'clock this morning before a nomination was made. The democratic organization in the House caucus had the situation well in hand.

Blackburn Defeated.

Judge Thomas H. Paynter was nominated for the United States Senate from Kentucky to succeed Hon. J. C. S. Blackburn, in the joint caucus of the democrats at Frankfort, Ky., last night. The nomination is equivalent to an election, as the democrats control both houses of the Legislature.

Both houses of the General Assembly organized yesterday by the election of Monday night's democratic caucus nominee. The Governor's message was received and read in both houses.

Judge Thomas H. Paynter, who, in the natural course of events, will be the next United States Senator from Kentucky, is a Justice of the Court of Appeals of Frankfort. He was born in Lewis county, Kentucky, December 9, 1851, and attended Center College, at Danville, his native State. In 1872 he was admitted to the bar. From 1876 to 1882 he was attorney of Greenup county, and from 1889 to 1895, a member of Congress. He practiced law in Greenup county until his election to his present judgeship in 1894.

Joseph Clay Styles Blackburn, the defeated candidate, has been in the Senate since 1885. He was a leader of the free coinage movement and exerted a great influence politically in his State. Senator Blackburn was born in Woodford county, Kentucky, October 1, 1838. He, too, attended Center College, and received the degree of LL. D. In 1859 he was admitted to the bar, and practiced in Chicago until the outbreak of the civil war, when he joined the Confederate army. At the close of the war he resumed the practice of law, locating in Kentucky.

His first political office was as a member of the Kentucky Legislature in 1871-1875. In the latter year he went to the National House of Representatives, whence he entered the Senate.

The Annapolis Court Martial.

Peterson Barto Marzoni, of the first class of the Naval Academy, was yesterday arrested on a charge of hazing and it is believed developments threaten to involve the entire first class. It is outlined unofficially that 13 men, including Coffin and Decatur, are to be tried.

Stephen Decatur, jr., testified in his own behalf yesterday denying that he hazed McCrary and Church. The dedefense was an alibi and was regarded by some as strong.

The bulk of the testimony submitted by the defence was centered in an effort to disprove the testimony gf McCrary, to the effect that he was hazed in Decatur's room after dinner on the day the latter had his picture taken in the groups of officers and petty officers. To this end they called a number of witnesses to testify as to the date when the pictures were taken and how many were taken. It was rather a singular fact that no one of them could recall the exact date of that event.

All testified that Decatur had his picture taken with the other officers. Midshipman Keller testified, as did others, that he had been in Decatur's room immediately after dinner on the day the pictures were taken, and that he (Decatur) was there.

This was the first hard knock received by the defense. Sabsequent witnesses somewhat mixed the case, as some testified that they had been in Decatur's room on that day and had seen no fourth-class men or plebes, and, as previously stated, Marzoni admitted that Church had enterred the room at the time when all were there, had heard his name called and heard him ordered into the closet to do stunts.

The Decatur case was resumed today.

The Foster trial is expected to begin Thursday.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The hearing in the case of Dr. James W. Simpson, the dentist who is charged with shooting his father-in-law, Bartley T. Horner, was resumed in Northport, L. I., today. Mrs. Simpson, wife of the prisoner, was the first witness. Harry King, who resided next door to the Horner's, testified that he was the first to reach the house. He heard Mrs. Horner say to Simpson: "May God forgive you for what you have done," and Simpson replied, "I hope he may." Mrs. Simpson said: "Jim, haven't I asked you not so have a loaded gun in the house."

A dispatch from San Francisco says that with its shaft broken and without assistance the steamer City of Pueblo, with 150 persons on board, is rolling helplessly in the heavy sea off the mouth of the Columbia river.

The prospects for the amalgamation of the Hamburg-American and North German Lloyd steamship lines continue to agitate the Berlin Bourse.

Virginia News.

The Court of Appeals will convene for business in Richmond on Tuesday, January 9th, when a heavy docket will confront the judges.

John Funk, one of the most successful farmers and financiers of Shenandoah county, died yesterday at his home, near Maurertown, of pneumonia. He was about 70 years of age.

Judge Wilcox, counsel for Capt. E. W. Jones, convicted of the murder of Maud Cameron and sentenced to 18 years in the penitentiary, has offered a new motion at Norfolk for another trial for Jones.

Dr. George S. Walker has announced his candidacy for superintendent of the Western State Hospital for the Insane, located at Staunton. He has been on the medical staff for 20 years. The only other candidate announced is Dr. J. S. Dejarnette.

Mayor Walker yesterday imposed a fine of $10 each on 12 cadets of the Virginia Military Institute for participation in riotous conduct on the streets last Saturday, when George Toler, the negro who shot a cadet Christmas night, was mobbed and beaten.

James W. Wadsworth, jr., of Livingston county, son of Congressman James W. Wadsworth, and son-in-law of the late John Hay, Secretary of State, was nominated at Albany, N. Y., last night by the republican assembly caucus for speaker of the assembly, and was elected to that office today when the assembly convened. His democratic opponent was George M. Palmer, of Schoharie, who for many years has been minority leader on the assembly floor. Mr. Wadsworth was Mr. Roosevelt's choice for speaker.

Two objects which were removed from the old Capitol in Richmond, and will be restored to the enlarged building are Houdon's statue of Washington and the mammoth picture of the storming of the redoubt at Yorktown. Mr. A. Ports, superintendent of buildings at Washington, was engaged to move the statue from the rotunda to the little house built for it in the square, and yesterday a special committee, composed of the Governor and the Register of the land office, communicated with Mr. Ports in regard to moving it back again. The work requires the utmost care, as the statue is the most priceless piece of art in America and portions of it are exceedingly fragile. The big picture is now reposing in the State Library. When moved it is necessary to dismount the picture and roll up the canvas and take the frame to pieces.

Officials Indicted.

The grand jury in Baltimore yesterday indicted J. Wilcox Brown, former president; Henry J. Bowdoin, former vice president, and J. Bernard Scott, former treasurer of the Maryland Trust Company. They are charged with violating a law which makes it a misdemeanor for any official of a financial institution to make any statement misrepresenting its condition. The punishment provided is a fine of not less than $1,000 nor more than $10,000, or imprisonment in the jail or penitentiary of not less than six months nor more than three years, or both.

Warrants were sworn out for the arrest of the three officials. Mr. Bowdoin, who was the only one in the city, was released on $10,000 bail. Mr. Brown is on his estate in Virginia, and Mr. Scott is said to be in southern Maryland.

There is nothing in the presentment to show the basis of the charge, but it follows the collapse of the Maryland Trust Company, which was considered, perhaps, the most conservative and substantial and trust company in the State until the morning, more than a year ago, when the announcement was made that a receiver had been applied for.

Its inability to market or realize on its $7,000,000 worth of securities of a Mexican railroad was the cause of its embarrassment, but the publication of its assets showed it held large blocks of stock that had seriously depreciated in value. The Mexican railroad stock was subsequently sold and all creditors paid, and company was recently reorganized, the Speyers and other New York interests financing it. The company is now doing business again.

J. Willcox Brown, the former president, is the plaintiff in the proceedings now pending in New York for a receiver for the Equitable Life Assurance Company on the ground of fraud.

Yerkes' Will.

In his will, read yesterday by Clarence A. Knight, his attorney, the late Charles T. Yerkes makes many public bequests, including $100,000 in trust, the income to be paid to the University of Chicago for the maintenance of the Yerkes Observatory; providing for the disposal of his New York home after the death of his wife to a corporation organized for the maintenance of his art gallery, the sum of $750,000 to be given this project upon Mrs. Yerkes' death, and Mr. Yerkes also provides for a hospital to be erected in New York. His widow, son and others are provided for. The will was read to the members of his family yesterday and they expressed entire satisfaction with its provisions.

To his wife, Mary Adelaide Yerkes, $200,000, the homestead at the corner of Sixty-eighth street and Fifth avenue, together with all the paintings and works of art, statuary, bronzes, tapestries and bric-a-brac therein contained, and all other paintings, works of art, statuary, bronzes, tapestries and bric-a-brac that may be located elsehere which are to be placed in the house and galleries.

Bequests are made of $200,000 to each of his children—$100,000 to University of Chicago. At the death of his wife the pictures, statuary, etc., and $750,000 go to the public, $800,000 for a hospital site alone.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflammed portion of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Today's Telegraphic News

Conditions in Russia.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 3.—The correspondent of the Publishers Press at Moscow in a telephonic communication sent this morning said: "Although many revolutionists have been arrested and the officials are proclaiming that they have many of the leaders in custody, in order to create the impression that this is the fact, I know of my personal knowledge that only one important revolutionist was captured. The others all escaped and are now preparing new plans for keeping up the revolution."

Other advices from Moscow state that corpses are littered along the Kazan Railway, over 300 persons having been shot by the soldiers. A court martial tribunal composed of officers decreed the execution of one hundred strikere after a hearing of two minutes.

Many indescribable atrocities are charged against the troops. The government just at present is directing its principal attention to the Caucasus and eastern Russia, where the rebels admittedly have gained the upper hand.

Premier Witte is confident that he will succeed in pacifying the empire. It is asserted on good authority that Witte personally ordered the massacre at Moscow in order to clear the atmosphere and test the loyalty of the troops, while demonstrating to the public the determination of the government to put down the revolution. The hospitals at Moscow, it is reported, contain 2,000 wounded persons and 670 dead have been buried in the last few days. Engineers declare that the railway losses because of the last strike, at Moscow will reach the figures of 50,000,000 roubles.

London, Jan. 3.—The correspondent of the Times at Warsaw wires confirmation of the report that the strike in Poland is a fiasco, owing mainly to the precautions taken by the authorities. Instances of violence on the part of the troops have been remarkably few. The suppression of the nationalist newspaper, the Goniec, is calculated to excite the Poles, however. The paper has since appeared under a new name.

Glasgow, Scotland, Jan. 3.—The correspondent of the Herald at Moscow wires that the total number of victims during the revolt there is 15,000. The majority of the casualties were among peaceful citizens. The revolutionists who still remain in arms are to be starved into submission. The city is very quiet.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 3.—The Minister of War has issued a circular in which he forbids officers in the Russian army to become members of any political union. Officers disobeying this rule are threatened with severe punishment.

Berlin, Jan. 3.—A dispatch received here from St. Petersburg says that Professor Megulin, a well known financial expert, offers the following estimate of the losses suffered by Russia as the result of the revolution. Direct losses; Conflagration at Baku, $50,000,000; 500 castles, and residences of land owners burned, $35,000,000; damages to the port at Odessa, $25,000,000; factories destroyed, $20,000,000; damage wrought in sixty plundered towns, $30,000,000; damage to naval and military armaments, $25,000,000; total direct losses, $175,000,000. Indirect losses, diminished railway returns, $20,000,000; loss in wages on account of the strikes, $100,000,000; Russian capital transferred to foreign countries, $100,000,000. Bankruptcies resulting from the revolution, $50,000,000; withdrawal of foreign firms from business in Russian business enterprises, $50,000,000; losses to share holders in Russian business enterprises, more than $500,000,000. Total indirect losses approximately, $900,000,000; grand total, over $1,000,000,000.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 3.—The Novoe Vremya today publishes an extraordinary statement which it attributes to Admiral Rojestvensky, who commanded the Russian fleet which was destroyed in the battle of the Sea of Japan, in which Rojestvensky says: "At the battle of Tsu-Shima, the British squadron at Wei-Hai-Wei had orders to attack the Russian fleet in the event of a Japanese defeat."

Gov. Higgins's Message.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 3.—Governor Frank W. Higgins in his annual message sent to the legislature this afternoon, makes some important statements and recommendations regarding insurance: "The problem of State regulation," he said, "has become one of overshadowing importance. It calls for calm, courageous and intelligent treatment. We must aim to cure, not to killed; to preserve, not to tear down."

In concluding the Governor says: "The eyes of the whole world are now true towards New York and if this legislature does not produce an insurance law which shall be drastic, but practicable, radical, but sane in a spirit which shall be courageous, but not hysterical, it will fail to meet the expectations of those who have confidence in the ability of popular government to solve its own problems as they arise."

Governor Higgins has this to say about political contributions by the corporations: "Political contributions by business corporations are illegal and ultra vires. No such corporation exists which includes among its lawful purposes the right to donate its money to influence an election."

The Annapolis Court Martial.

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 3.—The Decatur court martial was delayed this morning for the preparation of arguments by the judge advocate and the counsel for the accused. Court met at 10 o'clock and the record and the testimony of yesterday's witnesses were approved.

Following these formalities Judge Advocate Harrison requested a recess until this afternoon, so that he may look over the testimony and arrange his summing up.

The case will probably be disposed of this afternoon, the court not only reaching its findings in Decatur's case, but completing the revision of the findings in the Trenmor Coffin case, which were returned by Rear Admiral Sands yesterday.

Decatur thinks the court cannot with justification convict him on either the McCrary or Church specifications.

Midshipman Foster, to be tried tomorrow, while not a brilliant student, is a crack man on naval affairs, and has given promise of much usefulness in the service. He has invented a new war head to be used on the Whitehead and Swartzkopf torpedoes.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Jan. 3.—The stock market ruled active and irregular all through the first hour, some weakness resulting in the early trading under aggressive short sales by bear traders. There was exceptional strength in Reading, St. Paul and Atchison. The industrial shares were comparatively neglected.

No Opposition Expected.

[Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.]

Richmond, Jan. 3.—From reliable inside information it seems that the Legislature will make no organized fight against Mr. Willard's appointment as Corporation Commissioner. Governor Montague will name his successor just before February 1, and will surely reappoint the present incumbent for the term of six years. Assurances come from strong leaders that the confirmation will be made without question.

Hearst's Political Measures.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 3.—The long expected pieces of legislation proposed by William R. Hearst's municipal ownership league arrived here last night and were among the first bills to be shoved into the Assembly bill box this morning. The first and most important of these provides direct nomination of candidates and other radical changes in the primary laws. Before this measure can become a law it must receive a vote of the people. Another bill permits New York city to buy and construct gas and electric lighting plants and street railways and provides for their operation by the city, to be paid for by the selling of public service certificates which shall be a lien upon each property acquired. The people must vote on this proposition also. A third bill provides that eight hours still constitute a legal day's work for all classes of employees in the State except those engaged in farm and domestic service. The prevailing rate of wages also is provided for on public works.

A ballot reform bill subjects election officers to a civil service examination, permits them to sit in districts other than in which they reside and provides for the grouping of candidates in columns by office rather than by party, the same as the Massachusetts ballot. Independent nominations to State office may be made on three thousand signatures; for Congressmen and Senators, on two hundred and fifty signatures, and for Assemblymen and Aldermen on one hundred signatures. The re-sumary canvass by the courts of the votes cast also is provided for.

Another is a proposed corrupt practice act regulating campaign contribution and expenditures and permitting a judicial inquiry into money expenditures at elections by five citizens. In addition to these bills, the municipal ownership Assemblymen have ready a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of two Senators and three assemblymen to investigate the conduct of elections of New York city, campaign contributions and the business relations existing betweens corporations and political leaders. In particular this committee is to investigate the proposed merger of the surface, elevated and underground lines of New York city, under the auspices of the Belmont-Ryan syndicate. An appropriation of $50,000 is made for the expenses of the committee.

New York Republicans.

Albany, N. Y., Jan 3.—That the Assembly's new Speaker, James W. L. Wadsworth, is to face a fight of the block game variety all through the session which began today is as certain as that a Roosevelt-Higgins victory over Odell was won in his election. Assemblyman Edward A. Merritt makes so secret of the fact that he accepts defeat as only temporary, and George R. Malby, Odell's leader in the Senate, may be depended upon to furnish opposition to the young Speaker's course in the upper house throughout the session. The Odell forces are expected to put forth a bitter campaign of obstruction and with the indirect aid thus added to the regular democratic opposition experienced legislators predict one of the stormiest sessions since the similar war over Platt and Conkling. That Chairman Odell has no thought of giving up the fight is voice by every one of his supporters.

Depew's Resignation Called For.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 3.—The resignation of United States Senator Chauncey M. Depew was called for by a resolution introduced today by Senator Brackett. The resolution in full is as follows: "Since the adjournment of this Senate the people of the State and nation have been staggered by the relation shown to have existed for years between the Equitable Life Assurance Society and C. M. Depew, one of the Senators of the State in the United States Congress. Recognizing that these disclosures have caused a total lack of confidence in the ability of the Senator named to properly represent the people in the body to which he was elected, "Resolved by the Senate, That C. M. Depew be and hereby is requested to forthwith resign his seat in the United States Senate."

Visits of Yeggeman.

Camden, N. J., Jan. 3.—Yeggemen made their annual visitation to south Jersey last night. At Woodstown they had sulphur, dynamite and fuses ready to blow the safe in the postoffice, but were scared off before they accomplished their deed. Before leaving, however, the succeeded in getting $30 worth of stamps which had been left in a wooden drawer. They next visited Harrisonville, where they broke into the office of the West Jersey and Seashore Railroad, and carried off some railroad tickets and some small change. From there the gang went to Swedesboro, where they broke open a tool house and secured a handcar. They worked this up the railroad to Tomblin station, where they abandoned it and then made their escape.

Resignation of McCall.

New York, Jan. 3.—The resignation of John A. McCall, President of the New York Life Insurance Company, was tendered and accepted by the board of trustees of the company at a meeting this afternoon.

Alexander E. Orr, President of the Rapid Transit Commission, was elected to succeed Mr. McCall, and his salary was fixed at $50,000 per year. McCall's salary was $100,000.

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Fear Insanity for Athlete.

Boston, Jan. 3.—Captain Daniel J. Hurley, of the Harvard 'Varsity eleven, who was seriously injured during the latter part of the football season, returned to his home yesterday from the mountains, where he went after two weeks' hospital treatment. Captain Hurley is not a well man, and it looks now as though his injuries will compel him to give up his ambition to become a surgeon.

Captain Hurley was forced to go to the hospital a few days before the game with Yale on account of a blood clot on the brain. It was thought he would be out in a few days, but the young warrior has failed to recover his old-time strength and must exercise the greatest care to prevent insanity. In the fall of 1901 Captain Hurley injured his head. The old hurt has bothered him considerably, and in the game with the Carlisle Indians last fall he received two more knocks that resulted in a clot on the brain.

The result of the surgeon's examination is awaited with anxiety by Harvard men, who regard Captain Hurley as one of the best football men developed at Cambridge.

Dynamite in Steamer's Coal.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 3.—That two sticks of dynamite were found hidden in the coal of the Transport Thomas on the last trip to the United States is the story told by Lewis E Davis, of Vancouver, who was a passenger on the boat and is now in Seattle. Two thousand miles from Nagasaki, the coal passers found the explosive. Davis says the officers stated that they believed that the stevedores put the dynamite in the coal because of the feeling against America for her part in making the unpopular Japanese treaty. The Thomas was carrying 1,300 soldiers of the Seventeenth infantry and 400 saloon passengers.

Eats Eighteen Raw Eggs a Day.

Fairmont, Ind., Jan. 3.—At the rate of 18 a day Amos Bell, of this city, has eaten 2,646 raw eggs in the last 147days. He is still at it and does not know when he will slow up on his present pace. Incidentally to the egg diet Bell has swallowed 111 gallons of milk during the same period. Bell has been a tuberculosis invalid three years, being confined to his bed for 12 months. At the time he commenced his feast he weighed 128 pounds. Today he tips the beam at 148, within three pounds of his former heaviest weight, and it still gaining.

Cured His Mother of Rheumatism.

"My mother has been a sufferer for many years from Rheumatism," says W. H. Howard of Husband, Pennsylvania. "At times she was unable to move at all, while at all times walking was painful. I presented her with a bottle of Chamberlaints Pain Balm and after a few applications she decided it was the most wonderful pain reliever she had ever tried, in fact, she is never without it now and is at all times able to walk. An occasional application of Pain Balm keeps away the pain that she was formerly troubled with." For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

Train Derailed.

Spartansburg, S. C. Jan. 3.—The fast southbound on the Southern Railroad was derailed at Fair Forest, today, and engineer James Lucas, of Greenville, was instantly killed. The fireman escaped injury, but cannot be found and it is presumed he ran away through nervousness and fright. Five cars were demolished and the track was blocked for ten hours.

An Italian Scandal.

Venice, Italy, Jan. 3.—A scandal in aristocratic circles has developed in the elopement of Count Dorrer and the Countess DiLutti from Treviso, a town about sixteen miles from here. Count Dorrer is a septuagenarian and married, while the Countess DiLutti is a girl still in her teens and the niece of Count Giacomo, mayor of Treviso. Dorrer waited for the young girl outside of the palace in which her family resides and carried her off in his carriage. The pair fled in the carriage to Mestre, five miles from Venice, where they embarked in a gondola. The present whereabouts, as well as the intended destination of the couple, are unknown. It is feared that they may have boarded an ocean liner at Genoa. The parents of the Countess have begun suit against Dorrer.

DIED.

Mrs. SARAH PEVERILL died January 3, 1906, after a lingering illness, aged 92 years, 1 month and 11 days. She was born in Oxfordshire, England, November 23, 1813. She is survived by four sons and one daughter—Messrs. James, Louis, George and Thomas, and Mrs. E. D Crane; thirty-four grandchildren and forty-five great-grandchildren.

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Local Matters.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section rain and warmer tonight. Thursday fair, colder in the afternoon; brisk southerly, shifting te westerly winds.

County Authorities Sued.

Through his attorney, Hon. John A. Lamb, of Richmond, Howard C. Knode, who claims to be a resident of Maryland, has instituted suit in the United States Court for the Eastern District of Virginia against Crandal Mackey, commonwealth's attorney for Alexandria county, and Joseph E. Supplee, a magistrate of that county, for $10,000 damages each on two counts, charging them jointly with illegal arrest and assault. The case will be called during the January term of the United States Court, Judge Edmund Waddill presiding, which will open in this city next Tuesday. The action is based, it is stated, on an arrest and trial connected with the raiding of an alleged gambling house in Jackson City by the State's attorney and a squad of deputies last September. Several men were arrested, tried and convicted on the charge of vagrancy. The plaintiff charges that the commonwealth's attorney and the justice wickedly and maliciously conspired against him to ruin his name and reputation and bring him into public disgrace. He alleged that he was roughly handled and injured in being placed under arrest. The case, the declaration states, in which the plaintiff was fined $1,000 and sentenced to serve six months in the county jail, was finally dismissed upon appeal to the Circuit Court.

Foreigners in a Dilemma.

At an early hour this morning twelve or fifteen Slavs reached the union depot and proceeded to this city. They stopped Officer Jones and began to propound questions to him all in their mother tongue. The officer stood aghast. He could not understand them by language nor signs, and finally turned the party over to Lieutenant Smith. He, not being a linguist, soon found himself as helpless as Officer Jones. The lieutenant conducted them to a public house supposing some person would be found there who could talk to the foreigners. Several dialects were tried at this place, but without avail. An Italian barber was sent for, but he, too, proved unequal to the occasion. It was finally surmised that they were in quest of the William McKinley Institute, now used as a Slav boarding house, and Lieutenant Smith directed a boy to pilot the men to that place. This proved to be their objective point.

Dangerous Toys.

The toy pistol, so long frowned upon and legislated against, is far from being extinct, while a town nuisance, a small rifle, still more annoying and dangerous, has been largely introduced this Christmas season. Not only the small boy, but youths well advanced toward manhood are armed with them and prowl about the thoroughfares of the city shooting promiscuously at sparrows, cats, chickens, dogs or anything that offers an attractive target, which, as a rule, is missed and the destructive missile in its errand cracks or breaks window panes or tortures some inoffensive object. Complaints have been made by some of the sufferers of this nuisance to parents of the children using such rifles only to be met by a partially insulting rebuff, and they are now determined to make formal appeal to the Mayor and police for protection which, as they say, ought to be given without the asking.

Funeral.

The funeral of Bernard DiNicola, late foreman of a force of Italians employed on railroad work near this city, who died in Alexandria Sunday night, took place this morning from St. Mary's Church, and was attended by nearly all the Italian workmen in this neighborhood. All the public hacks in the city were used in forming the cortege to the church and subsequently to St. Mary's cemetery, where the remains were interred. Rev. Father Cutler officiated. The deceased was popular among his countrymen, as well as with many others whose acquaintance he had made while in this city and vicinity. While the funeral cortege was standing in front of St. Mary's Church a photograph of it was taken to be sent to the mother of the deceased in Italy. Among those who attended the funeral were five brothers and an uncle of DiNicola.

Cries of Distress.

About four o'clock this morning some people living at the extreme western end of King street were awakened by cries of "help" which emanated from the Spring Park neighborhood. The cry was repeated several times, when Mr. Benjamin Baggett, who had been awakened, dressed himself as quickly as possible and, followed by several of his dogs, proceeded to the spot from whence the cries had emanated. He searched the vicinity without finding any person. It was subsequently learned that the cries came from a woman named Epperson who was being chastised by her husband. Later a warrant was sworn out for the arrest of the woman by a man who claimed that she had abused him.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Washington Jackson, colored, arrested by Officer Roberts charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

Henry Lockey, arrested by Officers Roberts and Henderson charged with being drunk on the street, was sent to jail for ten days.

Gertrude Stewart, colored, arrested by Officer Henderson charged with being drunk and disorderly, was fined $5.

A young man, arrested by Officer Jones charged with witholding money belonging to a merchant, had his case continued.

Challenge from the County.

Houdini, who is performing in Washington as a jail breaker, has been challenged by the authorities of Alexandria county. During a recess of the Circuit Court Judge Nicol offered to stake $10 on the reputation of the county jail, and this sum was re-enforced by Clerk George H. Rucker, Deputy Clerk Harry R. Thomas, Sheriff William H. Palmer, and Deputy Sheriff H. B. Fields. A purse of $50 is offered for the prestidigitator, and if he slides through the restraints that await him he will get the money.

Week of Prayer.

The celebration of the week of prayer will commence in this city next Monday night according to the following programme:

Monday, January 8, M. P. Church, Rev. Dr. Fisher and Rev. J. A. Jeffers.

Tuesday, 9th, Baptist Church, Rev. J. H. S. Ewell and Rev. J. P. Stump.

Wednesday, 10th, M. E. Church South, Rev. Edgar Carpenter and Dr. Fisher.

Thursday, 11th, Trinity M. E. Church, Rev. J. P. Stump and Rev. Edgar Carpenter.

Friday, 12th, Second Presbyterian Church, Rev. J. A. Jeffers and Rev. J. H. S. Ewell.

The services will be held nightly at 7:45 o'clock and it is earnestly desired by the ministers that the attendance at these services shall be as large as possible. They wish to make this indeed a week of prayer and desire the earnest and active co-operation of all Christians.

Verdict for Plaintiff.

The jury in the Circuit Court for Alexandria county yesterday evening awarded Elizabeth Shivers a verdict of $800 against the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway Company for personal damages. Miss Shivers sued for $25,000 as the result of an accident at Four-mile Run last April when a car on which she was a passenger struck another and she was injured. The company was represented by Attorneys R. Walton Moore and James R. Caton, while the plaintiff's attorney was Mr. L. P. Harlow. A motion to set aside the verdict on the ground that the amount awarded by the jury was inadequate was overruled by the court

Today the cases of Day and Blake in damages suit against the W., A. & Mt. V. Ry Co. were continued till the next term of court.

Donation Party.

The annual donation party of the Co-operative Charities Association will be held at Lee Camp Hall next Friday from 10 a. m. to 1 p. m. This will afford an opportunity to all who may be in a position to do so to aid the organization in its work of providing the necessaries of life to numbers unable to help themselves, especially during the wintry weather. The holiday season is now a back number. It has brought cheer to many who have had enough and to spare. Such as have a superabundance could express their gratitude in an acceptable way by encouraging the Co-operative Charities in their noble work.

Personal.

Miss Mary E. Carlin has returned from Ellicott City, Md., where she spent the holidays.

Miss Edith Laws, of Front Royal, is visiting Miss Edith Crump, on north Columbus street.

Miss Cora Cochran gave a delightful little entertainment at her home on King street last night, in honor of her cousin, Miss Cassin, of Texas, who is visiting her.

Mrs. Phil Leterman and family, who have been visiting Mr. Henry Strauss, have returned to their home in Charlottesville.

Death of a Venerable Resident.

Mrs. Sarah Peverill, widow of Geo. Peverill, died at Four-mile run, Alexandria county, at an early hour this morning. The deceased was in her 93d year. She was a native of England, but came to this country when young. For many years Mrs. Peverill had been a resident of Alexandria county. She leaves five children, among them being Mr. George Peverill, of this city, and Messrs. James, Louis and Thomas Peverill, of Alexandria county, together with 34 grandchildren and 45 great-grandchildren.

Lecture Tomorrow Night.

Miss Richards will lecture in Lee Camp Hall tomorrow night at 8 o'clock under the auspices of the Cameron Club. This will be the first of a series of four lectures which will be given at the same place and under the same auspices this winter. The second will be delivered by Prof. Thompson. His lecture will be accompanied by steoreoptican views. Dr. Wiley will deliver the third and Miss Richards the fourth. There will doubtless be a large attendance at each of the lectures, as they will be of a highly interesting nature.

Opera House.

The "Jolly American Tramp" company gave a creditable performance at the Opera House last night to a crowded house. Edgar Foreman, as "Happy Jack," the tramp, had charge of the principal role, and gave a good interpretation of the part. He also sang several good parodies. Grace Euler, as "Flo Barrett," was decidedly good, and her singing and dancing was heartily applauded. Lillie White, as "Delia Dooley," played the Irish comedy part to perfection. The other characters were about the average.

Reliance Company's Report.

The following is the report of the Reliance Fire Company, No. 5, for the year 1905:

Alarms.	Time of Service.	Feet of Hose.
January 7	90 minutes	850
February 7	4 hours, 20 minutes	2,000
March 10	2 hours	1,900
April 7	45 minutes	700
May 4	2 hours, 20 minutes	1,300
June 3	No service	
July 7	1 hour, 20 minutes	2,150
August 7	1 hour, 30 minutes	1,200
September 6	3 hours, 15 minutes	1,200
October 5	No service	
November 8	45 minutes	600
December 6	20 minutes	350

During the year there were 77 alarms of fire, in which the company was in actual service, 16 hours, 35 minutes, and 10,250 feet of hose were used.

WM. H. BONTZ, Engineer.

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"In my opinion Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best made for colds," says Mrs. Cora Walker, of Poterville, California. There is no doubt about its being the best. No other will cure a cold so quickly. No other is so sure a preventive of pneumonia. No other is so pleasant and safe to take. These are good reasons why it should be preferred to any other. The fact is that few people are satisfied with any other after having once used this remedy. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

Forced to Starve.

B F. Leek, of Concord, Ky., says: "For 20 years I suffered agonies, with a sore on my upper lip, so painful, sometimes, that I could not eat. After vainly trying everything else, I cured it with Bucklen's Arnica Salve." It's great for burns, cuts and wounds. At E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store; only 25c.

The Market.

Georgetown, Jan. 3.—Wheat 65.a81.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Friendship Veteran Fire Association meets tonight for election of officers.

James E. Lewis, colored, aged 29 years, died at his home, No. 627 north Pitt street, yesterday.

Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., will meet tonight when the officers will be installed. After the meeting a banquet will be served.

The sky became cloudy early last night and rain began to fall about 11 o'clock. Rainy and raw conditions have continued throughout the day.

At the entertainment given by Perseverance Tent of Rechabites last Monday night Mrs. Levi Huffman presented the tent with a beautiful banner.

The Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Railway steamer Anne Arundel was floated at Baltimore yesterday after undergoing minor repairs, cleaning and painting.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to Harvey Marmaduke and Lellia E. Drake, both of Westmoreland county; Robert A. Bullard, of King George county, and Bessie Chinn, of Stafford county; Fred P. Jenkins, of Fairfax county, and Effie F. Bundy, of Washington, and W. Mitchell, of Greensboro, N. C., and Cora Cupid, of Alexandria.

Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen. Oyster fried stew or raw. Free lunch—hot sausages C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space.

For Orphans.

R. E. Baker, of Four Oaks, N. C has purchased a farm of 1,050 acres near Chesterfield Courthouse on which he proposes to establish an industrial and training school. Mr. Baker will begin operations in the early spring and will have the necessary buildings constructed from time to time.

His plan is to take orphan boys and the homeless from the cities and to keep them until they have reached the age of 21 years. The boys are to be educated and to be given training in whatever they have most talent—carpentering, dairying, farming, bee culture, blacksmithing, harnessmaking or such other pursuits as will be profitable to them when they shall have completed the course and are ready to make their way in the world.

It is understood that the boys are to be taken absolutely free of all cost, and are to be clothed, fed, educated and trained under the personal supervision of Mr. Baker. They will receive no pay for their service, but will, upon leaving the institution with a certificate of completion of whatever course they desire, be given a kit of tools and a sum of money to meet their wants for a period until they can find employment. That is understood to be the programme.

Drew Straws for a Bride.

Three brothers, John, William and Henry Mock are well-to-do, and live in Davie county, North Carolina. Near the Mock family live Jacob Depass, and the chief ornament of his family is Miss Nellie, with whom each of the Mock boys was in love, and had told her so many times.

Miss Nellie decided that she would have a wedding, and told each brother to get ready, as though he was to be the favored one, and the two who failed to get her could attend their more fortunate brother at the ceremony. At 9 o'clock Monday night Miss Nellie, arrayed in her finest costume, decided to let the three brothers draw straws to see which she would marry.

The youngest brother got the shortest straw. Then Miss Nellie, the bridesmaids and their attendants arranged themselves before the family minister and Nellie became Mrs. Henry Mock.

Will Not Be Leader.

Prompted by reports that, in the event of Senator Gorman's resignation as caucus chairman, he would probably succeed him, Senator Bailey yesterday made this statement:

"I sincerely hope that Senator Gorman's health will not require him to relinquish the leadership; but, whether he continues in that position or resigns it, I will not, under any circumstances, allow myself chosen to succeed him.

"A leader must make himself agreeable to his associates whether he feels kindly towards them or not, and unless he cultivates their good will he will fail in his leadership, no matter what his ability may be. I have not acquired the art of being agreeable under all circumstances, and I will never place myself in a position where a failure to do so is certain to result in a constant personal annoyance to me and might result in serious embarrassment to my party."

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LOST.

STRAYED.—A white, black and brown BEAGLE PUPPY. Is stout and looks a little bluish. J. K. M. NORTON, jan2 1w 616 Prince street.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the W. T. WALKER BRICK CO. will be held at 11 o'clock a. m., on WEDNESDAY, January 17, 1906, in the principal office of the company, Arlington, Va., for the purpose of electing a president and directors and transaction of other business. By order of the president.

CHAS. J. WALKER, Secretary.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of stockholders of the MERCANTILE-RAILWAY BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, of Alexandria, Va., will be held THURSDAY, January 18, 1906, at 10 a. m., at the office of the company, corner Prince and Fairfax streets. LEWIS HOOFF, Secretary.

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AUCTION SALE OF FRAME DWELLING.

FRAME HOUSE, No. 1005 Gibbon street, will be sold at public auction, in front of the premises, on SATURDAY NEXT, January 6, at 12 o'clock m. The house contains six rooms, kitchen, pantry and wardrobes, and is in splendid condition, being comparatively new. jan2 4t

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the SAVINGS MUTUAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, of Alexandria, Va., will be held at their office, 119 south Fairfax street, on WEDNESDAY, January 3, 1906, at 8 p. m.

M. B. HARLOW, President.

E. J. FLEMING, Secretary.

E. L. Daingerfield, President. W. F. Lambert, Cashier.
W. H. Lambert, Vice President. Carroll Pierce, Asst. Cashier.

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Handsome Silver and Composition Handles, Good Quality Covers, for ladies, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 to $2.25 each.

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MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the POTOMAC STONE COMPANY will be held at the office of said company, No 128 S. Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on THURSDAY, January 18, 1906, at 2 p. m., for the election of directors and for the transaction of su h other business as may legally come before said meeting.

CHARLES G. SMITH, JR.,
dec30 w3w-s Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the NATIONAL RIFLES HALL ASSOCIATION will be held at the office of Attorney K. Kemper, No. 218 King street, Alexandria, Va., THURSDAY, January 4, 1906, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of other business. Books for the transfer of stock will be closed for ten days from December 21, 1905. An annual dividend of seven per cent. on the par value of the stock has been declared payable on or after January 2, 1906

GEORGE W. EVANS, Secretary.
dec21 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the GEORGE W. KNOX EXPRESS COMPANY will be held at its principal office, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, at 10 o'clock a. m. on THURSDAY, January, 4, 1906. M. K. LINN,
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MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the GRAND OPERA HOUSE COMPANY will be held at the offices of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, January 8, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

HENRY F. WOODARD, Secretary.
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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the EMERSON STEAM PUMP COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, in the city of Alexandria, on MONDAY, January 8, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m.

F. BRUCE EMERSON, Secretary.
dec23 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the CONSOLIDATED QUARRY COMPANY for the election of directors will be held at the office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va. on MONDAY, January 8, 1906, at 3:15 p. m.

H. P. GILBERT, President.
J. C. PRATT, Secretary.
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THE THIRTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL meeting of the INDEPENDENT MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Fairfax county, Va., will be held in the company's office, 119½ south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, the 8th day of January, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m.

dec27 td C. LUKENS, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the IOWA APARTMENT HOUSE COMPANY, for the election of a board of directors for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, January 9, 1906, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

CHARLES D. WALCOTT, President.
A M. McLACHLEN, Secretary.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the McLACHLEN REAL ESTATE AND LOAN COMPANY for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., TUESDAY, January 9, 1906, at 11 o'clock a. m.

JAMES F. HOOD, President.
A. M. McLACHLEN, Secretary.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the ONTARIO APARTMENT HOUSE COMPANY for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year will be held at the office of the company at No. 123 south Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, State of Virginia, on TUESDAY, January 9, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m.

CHARLES D. WALCOTT, President.
A. M. McLACHLEN, Secretary.
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CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK,
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 14, 1905.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank, for the election of directors, will be held at the banking house on TUESDAY, January 9, 1906, between the hours of 11 o'clock a. m. and 12 m.

dec14lawtd W. F. LAMBERT, Cashier.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the S. S. SHEDD & BRO. CO. will be held at the office of James R. Caton, esq., Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, January 9, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers and for the transaction of any business as may be properly presented at that time.

dec23 td C. C. LACEY, Secretary.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK,
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 12, 1905.

The annual election of directors of this bank will be held at the banking house on TUESDAY, January 9, 1906, between the hours of twelve and one o'clock p. m.

C. R. HOOFF, President.

Alexandria, Va., December 5, 1905.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA NATIONAL BANK of Alexandria, Virginia, will be held in the office of the said bank on TUESDAY, January 9th, between the hours of one and three o'clock, for the purpose of electing a board of directors and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the stockholders.

dec12 td T. C. SMITH, Cashier.

PURSUANT TO THE REQUIREMENTS of the by-laws, notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the NEW WASHINGTON BRICK COMPANY, for the election of nine directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, will be held at the company's office, No. 111 south Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, State of Virginia, on the first Thursday after the second Monday, being the eleventh day of January, 1906, at noon. Polls will be open from 12 o'clock m. to 1 o'clock p. m.

T. L. HOLBROOK, President.
WM. F. MATTINGLY, Secretary,
dec27 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA PAPER MANUFACTURING COMPANY will be held at its principal office in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, 111 south Fairfax street, on MONDAY, the 15th day of January, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m.

JOHN B. THOMAS, Secretary.
dec30 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the DULIN & MARTIN COMPANY will be held at the office of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on TUESDAY, January 16, 1906, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., for the elect on of directors and for such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

jan1 td T. C. DULIN, Secretary.

THE stockholders of the WASHINGTON NATIONAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION of Washington, D. C., are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the said association will be held at the principal office of the association, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at eleven o'clock a. m., WEDNESDAY, January 17, 1906. By order of the board of directors.

J. C. STODDARD, Secretary.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the GERMAN CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATION, NO. 5, of Alexandria, Va., will be held THURSDAY, January 11, 1906, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., at their office, 313 King street. Business: Financial report and election of officers. JUSTUS SCHNEIDER,
dec20 td Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the ATLANTIC BUILDING COMPANY for the election of officers and such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on THURSDAY, January 18, 1906, at 11 a. m.

M. M. PARKER, President,
LOUIS BEYER, JR., Secretary.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the COLUMBIA NATIONAL SAND DREDGING COMPANY will be held at the principal office of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on THURSDAY, January 18, 1906, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing the directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

dec28law3w G. A. BONNET, Secretary.

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Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JAN. 3, 1906.

The Next Legislature.

Among the more important measures to come up for consideration at the hands of the Legislature next week will be a bill looking to the improvement of the highways of the State. The public school system of the State will also probably receive favorable consideration at the hands of the Legislature. The school system was a lively issue injected in the recent campaign. A bill will probably be offered carrying a larger school appropriation and providing ways and means for improving the present school system. Another measure which the solons will be called upon to decide will be the question of further beautifying the Capitol grounds. The Capitol buildings have been recently improved and the demand among the people is to have the grounds improved in proportion. A bill will in all probably be introduced during the coming session looking to the regulation of insurance companies doing business in the State. The creating of a bureau of insurance would be a popular improvement. The people everwhere are clamoring for a thorough systematical regulation of the large companies. A bill has been suggested reducing the States to congressional districts, the main feature of which will probably be the taking of the city of Newport News out of the Second district and putting it into the First district. It is not unlikely that a measure will be forced increasing the appropriation of the State for the Jamestown Centennial in 1907.

A movement is also on foot concerning the natural ore riches of the State. An effort will likely be made to include in the general appropriation bill, an increased appropriation for the asylums and prisons of the State

Revolution in Ecuador.

A dispatch from Guayaquil, Ecuador, says that the revolutionists under Col. Teran have captured Riobamba. A strong division under Secretary of War Larrea has left Quito to attack the revolutionists. Another division left Guayaquil yesterday. Guayaquil is quiet. The State Department has learned that the trouble in Ecuador broke out at Riobamba, but the nature or cause is not stated in the report which came from Guayaquil. Troops and policemen are reported to have joined the revolutionists, who are headed by Col. Teran. Telegraph communication between Guayaquil and Quito (the capital) is somewhat interrupted.

Armed School Boys.

Miss Lula Presson, who teaches the Snaketown, W. Va., school, objects to her boys carrying .44-caliber Harringtons. She complained, and Justice Kincaid has fined two of them—Bob Harris and Jim Spurlock—$10 and costs each. Miss Presson told the justice she found a 12-year old boy carrying a gun, and added that she believed it the practice in that county for the boys to go thus armed. Spurlock and Harris scrapped and drew pistols. Miss Presson wanted to chastise Spurlock, but he resisted, and Harris came to his teacher's aid with a fine, blue Harrington carrying a ball as big as a hickory nut.

Rats Loaded With Dynamite.

John Farrell, of West Chester, Pa., has a stable infested by rats, but he is afraid to use steel traps for fear he may blow up the entire neighborhood, as the rats are "loaded." Six months ago Farrell placed 25 pounds of dynamite on the floor of the stable, and yesterday he went to look after it, but there were left only some small pieces of the wrapping paper. The rats had devoured the dynamite.

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Bent Her Double.

"I knew no one for four weeks when I was was sick with typhoid and kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Annie Hunter, of Pittsburg, Pa., "and when I got better, although I had one of the best doctors I could get, I was bent double, and had to rest my hands on my knees when I walked. From this terrible affliction I was relieved by Electric Bitters, which restored my health and strength, and now I can walk as straight as ever. They are simply wonderful." Guaranteed to cure, stomach, liver and kidney disorders; at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store; price 50.

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Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 30 a. m. and 4 p. m. Open at 9 00 a. m. and 30 p. m.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING QUALIfied as executrix of William Jackson Summers, deceased, all persons having claims against his estate are notified to present the same properly authenticated for payment and all persons indebted to said estate to settle the same.

VIRGINIA STROTHER SUMMERS,
dec28 2w Executrix.

NOTICE TO THE CREDITORS SECURED AND UNSECURED OF THE MOUNT VERNON FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Commissioner's Office,
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 30, 1905.

Take notice. By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria city, Va., rendered on the 6th day of November, 1905, in the chancery cause of Francis J. Davidson vs. the Mount Vernon Fire Insurance Company et als, the undersigned has fixed upon

TUESDAY,

the 23rd day of January, 1906,

at my office, 118 south Fairfax street, at 10 o'clock a. m., as the time and place where I will proceed to carry out the terms of the said decree, whereby I am required to ascertain and report to the court as follows:

"To ascertain and report all claims secured and unsecured against the Mount Vernon Fire Insurance Company, their amounts and priorities thereof. To ascertain and report all the assets and property of the said company; what assets and property of said company came into the possession of J. M. Hill and Henry Bauder, and what disposition has been made of the same and the value thereof at the time the said assets and property was received; the trust alleged and set up in the bill of complaint and the amount of the liabilities of the said company at the time said trust was created, and all other matters and things any party to this cause may request him to report upon, or that the said commissioner may consider necessary for the settlement and winding up of the affairs of the said company." On which day and at the said hour you are requested to attend.

EUGENE P. TAYLOR,
dec30 td Commissioner in Chancery.

OFFICE OF J. R. ZIMMERMAN,
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 30, 1905.

Having disposed of my coal business, payment will be received of all bills until January 15, 1906, at my office on St. Asaph street. I trust all who are indebted to me will endeavor to settle by the time named.

dec30 3t J. R. ZIMMERMAN.

IN DISCONTINUING our business from this date, we wish to notify the public that we have sold our stock of coal and wood and our GOOD WILL to MESSRS. W. A. SMOOT & CO., of this city.

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By virtue of a deed of trust dated November 6, 1886, and recorded November 9, 1886, in book G, No. 4, at page 464, of the land records of the county of Alexandria, State of Virginia, and by reason of default having been made under said deed of trust, and upon the written request of the party secured thereby, I will on

THURSDAY,

the first day of February, 1906,

at 3 o'clock p. m., on the premises, at Brick Haven, in said county, sell at public auction the property described in said deed of trust, except that portion heretofore conveyed to the Washington-Southern Railway Company; said property securing said deed of trust is described as follows: ALL THAT TRACT OF LAND lying in Alexandria county, Virginia, between the Washington and Alexandria Turnpike road and the Potomac river, and known as the Columbia Brick Yards, now known as the Jackson-Phillips Brick Company's yards, with the following metes and bounds: Beginning at the intersection of the east side of the Washington and Alexandria Turnpike road, with the land now or lately owned by Hunter; thence E. 23 4 poles chains and 49 links to a point B, as designated on the plat of survey made in 1890 by Caleb Hallowell, for a former owner, Mrs. Virginia Scott, reference to which is hereby made; thence S 76 degrees E. 21 chains 27 links to C, a point on the shore of the Potomac at about high water mark (passing at 21.08 a small sycamore which bears N. 69¼ degrees E. 1.10 from a willow); thence up the shore and along the water's edge (the tide being up), as follows: N. 41¾ degrees E. 4; N. 32¼ degrees E. 3.81; N. 2¾ degrees E. 1.56; N. 35 degrees W. 4.19; N. 30¼ degrees W. 6.08; N. 42¼ degrees W. 1.52; N. 78¼ degrees W. 2.71; N. 58¼ degrees W. 1.36; S. 86 degrees W 4.75; N. 73¼ degrees W. 2.73 to a marked elm; thence N. 31¼ degrees W. 11.35 N. 5½ degrees W. 3.94 to a large white oak D; thence S. 76¼ degrees W. 7.90 to E, a point on a small stream supposed to be where a certain willow stood; thence S. 84¾ degrees W. 12 37 to a stake on the east side of the Washington and Alexandria Turnpike road "F;" thence S. 6¼ degrees W. 23.50 along said road to the beginning, containing 96 acres, 3 roods and 21 perches, more or less, together with all the buildings, machinery and all fixtures and appurtenances connected with or in anywise appertaining to the aforesaid buildings. The property excepted from the above as referred to as having been conveyed to the Washington-Southern Railway Company is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the line dividing land of Jackson-Phillips Brick Company and New Washington Brick Company, where the same is intersected by the centre line of the new alignment of the Washington-Southern Railway at "Station 1402—23,3 of said new centre line; thence along said dividing line N. 85 degrees 44 minutes 30 seconds W. 75.2 feet to a point; thence by a line parallel with and 75 feet distant from the said new centre line in a northeasterly direction 1540.1 feet to a point in the line dividing land of Jackson-Phillips Brick Company and J. F. and M. E. Cullinane; thence along said dividing line N. 89 degrees 05 minutes E, 43.7 feet to a point; thence N. 80 degrees 50 minutes E, 119 3 feet, crossing the said new centre line at station 1417.73 to a point; thence by a line parallel with and 75 feet distant from the said new centre line in a southwestwardly direction 1575.6 feet to a point in the line dividing land of Jackson-Phillips Brick Company and New Washington Brick Company; thence along said dividing line N. 85 degrees 44 minutes 30 seconds W. 75.2 feet to the place of beginning, containing 5,362 acres, according to a plat and survey made by H. W. Stamper, jr, assistant engineer.

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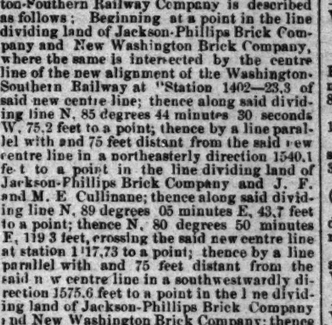

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Schedule effective December 1, 1905.
Trains leave Southern Railway Station Alexandria:

7:52 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Parlor cars week days Washington to Pinehurst. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

11:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa Dining car service a la carte.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.

11:05 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Southwestern Limited. All Pullman train, club car to Atlanta, observation cars to Atlanta, Macon Sleepers to Nashville, Atlanta, Macon, Birmingham, Memphis and New Orleans. Dining car service

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 6:19, 6:35, 9:23, 9 33 A. M. and 2:43, 9:13 and 9:33 P. M. daily. From Harrisonburg 11:38 A. M. week days and 9:03 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M. and from Lynchburg 9:03 P. M. daily.

TRAINS ON BLUEMONT BRANCH.

Leave Alexandria 8:21 A. M., 1:40, and 4:51 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:37 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:20 A. M. and 4:51 P. M on Sundays only for Bluemont.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to WILLIAM G LEHEW, ticket agent, Alexandria, Va.

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Washington, D. C.

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Schedule in effect Nov. 26, 1905.

Trains leave station western end of Prince street for Washington and points north at 8 01 and 9 51 a. m., 12 21, 2 53, 7 07, 8 18, and 11 33 p. m., week days.

Sundays—9 51 a. m., 12 21, 7 07, 8 18 and 11 33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 48, 7 56 (local), and 11 05 a. m., 3:59, 5 07 (local), and 6 40 p. m., week days.

Sundays—4 48 and 11 05 a. m., 3 59, 5 07 (local), and 6 40 p. m.

Accommodation for Quantico 7 56 a. m. Sundays only, 4 42 p. m. week days and 8 32 p. m. except Saturdays.

NOTE:—Time of arrivals and departures and connections not guaranteed.

W. D. DUKE, C. W. CULP, W. P. TAYLOR
Gen. Man. Ass't Gen. Man. Traf. Man.

Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway.

In effect November 1, 1905

LEAVE ALEXANDRIA.

For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days at 5 45, 6 10x, 6 20, 6 35x, 6 45, 7 00x, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 45x, 7 55, 8 25, 8 50, 9 10, 9 40, 10 00, 10 05x, 10 30, 11 00, 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 15 12 35, 1 00, 1 25, 1 55, 2 00x, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 15,